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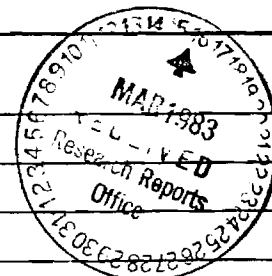
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# **ONR/AFOSR WORKSHOP ON MECHANISMS OF INSTABILITY IN LIQUID-FUELED RAMJETS**



**TOWER PLACE HOTEL**  
**Atlanta, Georgia**  
**16-18 MARCH 1983**

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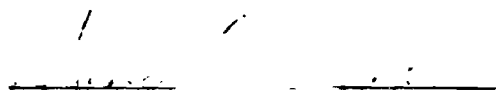
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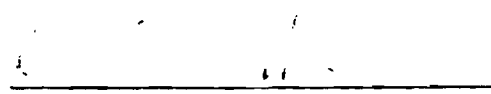
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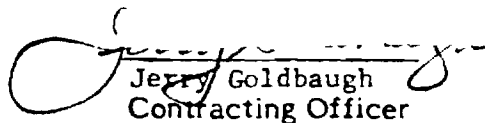
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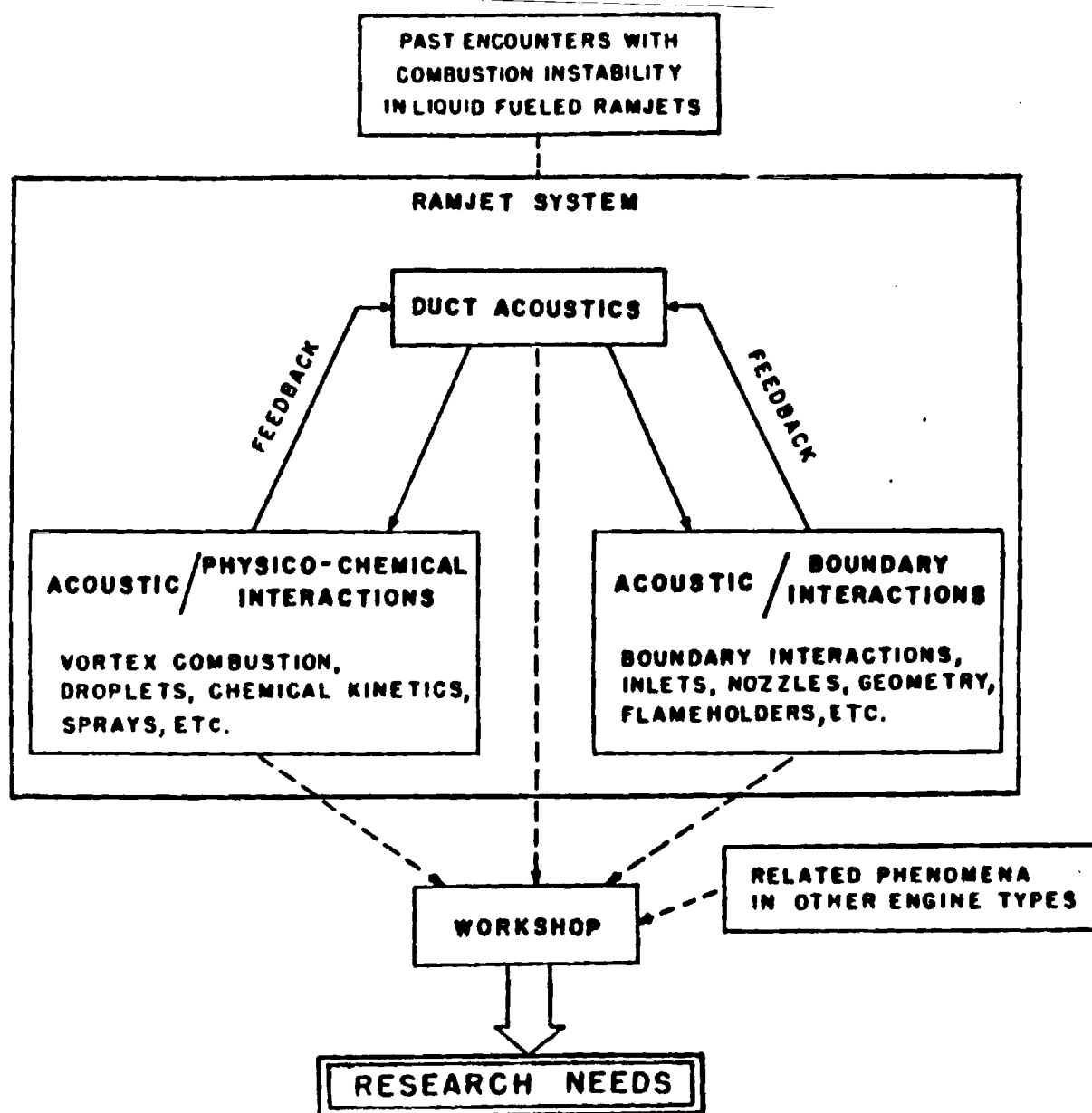
  
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## INTRODUCTION

As with virtually all high heat release rate density propulsion systems, there are several liquid fueled ramjet systems which have encountered combustion instability<sup>(1)</sup>. Except with regard to solid propellant rockets, which have little in common with liquid ramjets, the combustion, fluid mechanics and propulsion community has been relatively silent in recent years in research on instability mechanisms in propulsion systems. Current needs, however, demand a resurgence of work in this area.

The practical problem of ramjet instability involves several fundamental areas that have evolved rather independently as applied science disciplines, and it is necessary to bring these together in the context of the practical problem. Figure 1 depicts the fundamental areas that are of interest in the problem. Discussions within the community of interested scientists and engineers<sup>(2)</sup> has led to the proposition of a workshop as a means of clarifying the status of relevant disciplines and stimulating interaction and cooperative research on the interdisciplinary problem of ramjet combustion instability.

The purpose of this proposal is to provide the basis for a Georgia Tech/Office of Naval Research Workshop on mechanisms of instability in liquid fueled ramjets. The workshop would have as its goal the establishment of research needs in this area of propulsion.



## PROPOSED TITLE

The title of the Workshop would be: "Mechanisms of Instability in Liquid Fueled Ramjets".

## SPONSOR

The monetary sponsor would be the Office of Naval Research. The workshop credits would read ONR/Navsea/Navair/AFOSR/AFAPL.

## SCOPE STATEMENT

The workshop will bring together representatives from government, industry and universities to discuss and define the limits of understanding and interrelationships between fundamental processes in the field of liquid fueled ramjet instability. The output desired is a statement of basic and applied research needs in this problem area.

## ORGANIZATION OF WORKSHOP

Administrative aspects of this Workshop would be managed by the Georgia Institute of Technology (GIT) with concurrence of the Office of Naval Research (ONR) on general policy. Technical organization would be managed by the Principal Investigator (PI) at GIT, utilizing an organizing committee of the following persons in the indicated disciplines:

Professor Edward W. Price  
School of Aerospace Engineering  
Georgia Institute of Technology

Related Propulsion System  
Instability Experience where it  
has relevance to the LFRJ



Professor William A. Sirignano, Director  
Dept. of Mechanical Engineering  
Carnegie-Mellon University

Acoustic/Physico-  
Chemical Interactions

Professor F. E. C. Culick  
Dept. of Aeronautical Engineering  
California Institute of Technology

Acoustic/Boundary  
interactions and acoustics

This committee would be responsible for the selection of active technical participants, the technical program, session chairmanship and initial reporting of results. The PI will coordinate this committee, act as general advisor and be responsible for final reporting of results. Moreover, the PI, in liason with ONR, would monitor the program as it develops to assure compatability with relevant DOD desires. The PI will act as General Chairman of the Workshop and coordinate final discussion sessions.

#### SCHEDULING DETAILS, CONTENT, FORMAT, REPORTING

The details are to be developed by the Organizers. However some preliminary understandings are noted here as guides:

1. The Workshop dates have been chosen as 16-18 March, 1983. The site will be the Tower Place Hotel in Atlanta, GA.
2. An organizational meeting is proposed for each of the three technical specialty areas, to achieve a preliminary agreement on state of knowledge. These organizational meetings would involve about 5 persons each, for 1 to 1 1/2 days.

3. The Organizers of each specialty area are responsible that relevant aspects of their specialty are represented in both the Organizational Meetings and Workshop.
4. The Workshop will be invitational with the PI, Organizers and Technical Monitor being responsible for invitations. Commitments to financial aid for participants will be made by the PI in consultation with the Technical Monitor. Active Participants will be limited to roughly 20 persons, with roughly 30 more observers.
5. The Organizers will prepare review papers, to be available for distribution at the Workshop. The Participants will prepare 2000 word Extended Abstracts, to be available at the Workshop. The Organizers' papers should summarize the state of knowledge within their overall disciplines, as related to ramjet instability. The Participants' Extended Abstracts should concentrate on the science aspects of their area, independently from ramjet systems implications. They should define a set of needed research areas in their discipline.
6. Formal presentations will last about 25 min., with a substantial time allotment for discussion.
7. At the close of the formal presentation an open discussion will finalize recommendations for research needs. The PI will lead this effort.

8. The PI will prepare a Summary Report after the Workshop.

#### REFERENCES

1. R. S. Brown, et al, "A Literature Survey of Ramjet Combustor Instability" presented at 19th JANNAF Combustion Meeting, October 7, 1982.
2. Meeting of Navy, JHU/APL and GIT personnel at ONR Headquarters, October 8, 1982.

## ESTIMATED BUDGET

### Notes:

1. Two methods have been used to estimate the budget, differing in the overhead charge. In Method #1 overhead is only charged against salaries, fringe benefits, travel and supplies for GIT personnel. In Method #2, overhead at the approved rate is charged against all expenditures.
2. It is currently planned that there will be 14 Participants and 3 Organizers. It is assumed there will be one absentee at each of the Organization Meetings.

### PERSONAL SERVICES

#### Salaries

*	PI (0.1 my)	7703	
*	Secretary (0.15 my)	2155	
*	Area 1 Organizer, E W Price (flat fee)	3000	
	Area 2 Organizer, W A Sirignano (flat fee)	3000	
	Area 3 Organizer, F E C Culick (flat fee)	3000	
	Total Salaries	<u>\$18,858</u>	
*	Fringe Benefits (21% of Salaries for W C Strahle, E W Price and secretary)	2700	
	Total Salaries and Fringe Benefits	<u>21,558</u>	

### TRAVEL FOR WORKSHOP PARTICIPANTS

#### Transportation

	Organization Meetings (14 persons @ \$325/man)	4550	
	Workshop (17 persons @ \$400/m)	6800	
*	PI arrangement trips (2 trips)	600	
	Total Transportation	<u>\$11,950</u>	

#### Accommodations

	Organization Meetings (14 persons @ \$45/day for 2 days)	1260	
	Workshop (17 persons @ \$52/day for 3 days)	2652	
*	PI (2 nights @ \$45/night)	90	
	Total Accommodations	<u>4002</u>	

## Meals

Organization Meetings (14 persons @ \$20/day for 2 days)	560	
Workshop (17 persons @ \$20/day for 3 days)	1020	
* PI (2 days @ \$20/day)	40	
Coffee at Workshop (3 days @ \$100/day)	300	
Total Meals	<u>1920</u>	
Total Travel		17,872

## GENERAL EXPENSES

* Telephone (\$200 per Organizer and PI)	800	
* Printing and Mailing (Reports and Notices)	1200	
	<u>2000</u>	
Total General Expenses		2000
TOTAL DIRECT CHARGES		<u>\$41,430</u>

Overhead (47.2% of Costs by two methods.  
Method #1 applies overhead to those  
lines marked with an asterisk.  
Method #2 applies overhead to  
the Total Direct Charges)

Method #1, \$8631 ✓ Method #2, \$19,555

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	Method #2	<u>\$60,985</u>
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